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Applicant: Keiji OHAMA et al. Conf.: 2867  
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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated January 12, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amendments to the Claims; and  
Remarks.